THE SEWER QUESTION

City Fathers Go for Consulting Engineer Potter.

A PRESSING INVITATION

as follows:

NO. 1—THIRTY-FOUTITH STIEET.

"The 30-sinch outlet pipe on Thirty-fourth street is now carried up to a point where immediate relief can be a flower of the convenienced for some time, and at the rate the contractor is progressing will continue to be inconvenienced for a long time to come, and not only this, but under existing conditions all severage facility must be denied them.

"The present method of relief can be considered sanitary only for a limited time, and as the health of the entire community is dependent upon the healthful surroundings of each portion of the city. I deem it my province, to suggest a remedy, and to state that have been considered and the contractor shall covered the surface, which says that should it become increasary to change the position of any existing sower the Engineer shall thereupon give direction as to what shall be done, and the contractor shall covered the material fur. Istied and made a part of the nermanent construction so far as it may be additional to that indicated on the plans, and for the labor performed, unon the estimate of the Engineer." "Pursuant to the power vested in me by the contract, I have notified the contractor to construct the sewer under the sidewalk on either side of the sirect of sufficient depth to intercept all the private sewers, but not to disturb existing permanent sidewalks. The cost of these two sewers, which will be constructed of 8-inch pipe, and will form a part of the permanent system of sewers, will be in the vicinity of \$600, but from this modification in the original plans, which will foot up not far from \$300.

"Unless each householder in this

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was bound to that gentleman. The regular Clerk being away, the document could not be found, and the Council proceeded to a discussion of the bill rendered by Mr. Potter for October, his statement showing that the city was indebted to M. Honan & Sons in the amount of \$1,556.20.

Thesebilis were referred to the medial Sewer Commission with instructions to pay them if they be found proper bills.

EXPLANATIONS IN ORDER.
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STREET RAILWAY MATTER.

Mr. Regester, attorney of the Street
Railway Company, addressed the Council
upon the subject referred to in Mr.
Darling's letter to the Mayor, asking
that the Council protect the company
in its rights before the company should
to be compelled to protect itself. The
contractor, Mr. Regester said, had not
tonly violated his specifications, but had
endangered the lives of the company's
passengers, had interfered with the
carrying of the United States mails,
and had caused great inconvenience
to the citizens of the city. His company, said Mr. Regester, wanted to facillitate the construction of the sewerage system, but thought the Council
should compel the contractors to observe their contract. He paid a compliment to Mayor Moss, who, he said, had

The Doctor Will Probably Make Another Contest,

CLAIMS ELECTION FRAUDS

pose of canvassing the vote, but ad-journed till 10 o'clock today withou; finishing their work.

FINE TRIAL TRIP.

La Grande Duchesse Gave a Good Account of Herself in the Ordeal.

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At exactly half-pass 12 o'clock yesterday afternoon the beautiful Plant Line passenger steamer, La Grande Duchesse, rounded the Old Dominion pier on her return from a very successful trip to Montauk Point for the purpose of testing her new propeller blades that have recently been fitted to her. She made a majestic picture as she steamed slowly and majestically to her moornings at the yard, ar' looked a thing alive in her grace and seemed almost conscious of having acquitted herself handsomely.

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The trip was in every way satisfactory to her builders and the performance of the vessel justified their high, est expectations. She sustain d readily a speed of sevention and a half knots, which is far in excess of what the contract requires, and in doing this developed a remarkably small coal-consuming capacity under high pressure, a fact that is especially gratifying to all concerned. The vessel is now ready to be turned over to her owners.

MR. BUSH DEAD.

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Mr. Geo. H. Bush died Wednesday night at his residence in his twenty-seventh year. It is believed that death was caused by typhoid fever. Deceased leaves a wife and no children. The funral will take place this afternoon from the residence. No. 516 Thirty-fifth street, Rev. J. A. Turner officiating.

Stop at Newport News Bakery, corner of Thirty-first St. and Washington Ave., and take home hot loaf of bread for supper.

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PROPOSED ORDNANCE FACTORY.

NEWPORT NEWS, VA., FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 1898.

THE WILD CAA.

The Peruchi-Bedeni Musical Comedy and Dramatic Company opens a six nights engagement here next Monday. This company has the record for length of stay in a Southern city. No company has ever made such a lengthy visit as Peruchi-Bedeni Company made at Nashville. Its success is attributed to the care and detail given to every performance, and the two shows rolled into one, embracing as it does a double company, as high class specialties are introduced between the acts thus avoiding the customary waits.

The company is headed by the clever comedian Chelso D, Peruchi and the winsome, pretty southerte, Miss Ella Bedleni.

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to their list, together with Emile L. Subers a favorite black-faced come-dian, besides a company if sixteen fin-tian, besides a company if sixteen fin-ished actors and actresses. Eadles will be admitted free Monday, high, if accompanied by the holder of one paid thirty cent ticket.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Becker gave an enjoyable birthday party last night in whomor of the thirteenth anniversary of their son, Master William James, who received many hearly congratulations and showers of presents. There were present: Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Barker. Mr. and Mrs. William Guy. Mr. Harry Shields, Mr. Hotnec Cooper, Mr. George Krick, Mr. L. Gladfelter, Mr. Arthur Gladfelter: Misses Bessie, Clara and Daisy Baker, Miss Mamie Fahey; Masters Thomas Morgan, William Carr, Bert Thomas Morgan, William Carr, Bert Thomas Thomas Carr, Peter Gastiger, John Barron, Harry Miller, Walter Miller, Frank Wheeler, Jöseph Gutherter Guy and John Scott.

RIOT AND BLOODSHED

Follow the Election in Wilmington, N. C.

TEN MEN WERE SLAIN

who quit work and hung about the streets in manifest terror. Other parties congregated in the negro section and it was in one of these that the first trag-edy of the day was enacted. The men-were standing on a corner and were ordered to disperse. This they declin-ed to do, and, it is claimed, fired into the whites.

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A fusilade was immediately opened upon them by the whites and three negroes were killed. Two whites were wounded slightly. One negro ran down the street and, passing a residence, fired a rifle at William Mayo, white, who was standing on the veranda, shooting him through the left lung. This negro was recognized, pursued and captured white hiding under a bed. It is said he confessed to the shooting. He was riddled with shot by his captors and killed.

LOCAL MILLOW.

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LOCAL MILITARY OUT.

In the meantime, the town was in a
state of excitement. The whites rushed
to the scane from every direction, the
local military company was ordered
out and a battailon of United States
naval reserves proceeded to the scene
of the trouble with a rapid fire gun.

About 1 o'clock some negroes in a
house fired upon a passing party of
white men. The house was surrounded
and four negroes captured and taken
to fall. One negro broke away and rabus
but was shot down and killed beft se
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other affairs of this kind and eight
negroes were killed in various parts of
the disturbed section. Their names are
at this time unknown.

Telegrams were received from various
towns in the state offering assistance.
All such offers were declined, except
in the case of Fayetteville, from which
town from men came. At nightfall the
town was completely patrolled and
part of the citizens in organiz-

n joint ballot in the Logislatur

LIKE THE TERESA.

The Steamer Ashere Off Cat Island Is a Disarmed Warship.

(By Telegraph.)

NASSAU, N. P., Nov. 10.—The steamer ashere off Cat Island, supposed to be the abundoned cruiser infanta. Maria Teresa, Is now described as being a disarmed warship dying the American diag, showing signs of having been or fire and of having lenked slightly. She stranded in an exposed position of Thursday night last. POLICE COURT.

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Deputy City Sergeant E. L. Hernder returned Wednesday night from Rich mord, where he went to take in ensuring a colored woman by the many of decidence was alias Gertrude Kenney, who is wanted here on the charge of heing rugilive from justice.

In the Police Court Gertle was given a hearing in the charge of larceny and the case of similar to the court yesterday more state. The Court was conducted in the case of the

issed at costs.
Dittman, trespass; case dismisses

Put our Hats side by side with the Paris Hats and determine if you can wherein one is more chic than the other and wonder further why you should pay double for an over-sea creation when its charming neighbor, with the very touch and air, can be had of us for half, MRS, L. LEGG, nod-codst 131 Twenty-eighth St.

A very profitable business for sale For particulars call on the Cottrell Rea Estate Company, 2706 Washington ave organiz- nue.

JUDGE LYNCH IS BUSY

Whites Wreak Vengeance on

Negro Miscreants.

HUNTING NEW VICTIMS

ound in human suffering.

"Ally destrine," he frequently reiterated, "is that no one who does not work double be allowed to live."

The jury was absent only twenty minutes.

TRAIN HELD UP

(By Telegrapa)
FERGUS FALLS, MINN., Nov.
The Great Northern through t
which passes through this city of
P. M. week rolded about about aight. There all safe was dethat they set The through

TO EQUIP WAR VESSELS,
(By Telegraph.)
PALIES, Nov. 19.—The Matin says
hat at a cornell of the admirals held
seterday it was decided to fit out all
in French wor vessels available and
dirty reserve ships have been ordered
to commission. APRON PARTY TONIGHT.
Many Washington Council, No. 8, sughters of Liberty, will give an pror Early in Phillips' Hall tonight, he public levited.

Put away that thin gauze undersuit together with the midsumner less tude. Got in one of our theced wood suits and stare the cold wave in the face when it comes. Woodward to Wormble

Have your Wheel re-enomeled, It and up, at Newport News Cycle Co. 11-115.